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To: Gallion, Joshua C.
Subject: Notice of Intent to Award Letter for RFP No. PU-10-657
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Good afternoon, Vendors

I would like to thank you all for submitting a proposal to Northern States Power Company's Rate Increase case, RFP No. PU-10-657. The proposals have been evaluated and the scores compiled. Attached you will find a notice of intent to award letter identifying the vendors who submitted proposals and the firm that has been selected.

Sincerely,
Josh Gallion
Procurement Officer

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NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD

March 23, 2011

SOLICITATION NUMBER AND TITLE: 408.02-11.001, Consulting Services for NSP Rate Increase Application

OPENING DATE AND TIME: March 4, 2011, 2 PM CST

The following vendors submitted responses to the above solicitation:

- Blue Ridge Consulting Services, Inc.; Greenville, SC
- Mathai & Associates Regulatory Consultants, LLC; Oklahoma City, OK
- Snavelly King Majoros & O'Connor, Inc.; Washington, DC

Responses were evaluated according to the criteria stated in the solicitation. We announce our intent to award a contract to:

- Blue Ridge Consulting Services, Inc.

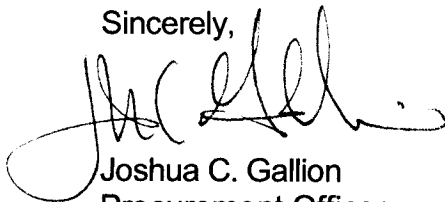
We would like to thank each vendor for your time and efforts in preparing a response to this solicitation.

We invite you to contact the Procurement Officer if you would like additional information or have any questions about the evaluation process. Vendors are reminded that any protests of this decision must be submitted to the Procurement Officer within seven days after the issuance of this notice. The protest must be in writing, clearly identify the solicitation, and detail the nature of the protest.

The successful vendor is instructed not to begin work, purchase materials, or enter into subcontracts relating to the project until both the recipient and the State sign the contract.

We appreciate your interest in doing business with the State of North Dakota.

Sincerely,



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